

April 3, 1940.

Mr. Willie Reddick,
919 Faulkland St.,
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Willie:

Just a line to tell you I heard from Mr. Dawson, we can have the Park for Sunday, May 12th. I will see that you receive the placards in plenty time. I believe I told you the Eagles will be playing the Black Yankees. I am almost sure we will have Satchell Paige with us, that should help to work the game up very much. We also expect to have Vernon Reddick in our line-up playing short-stop.

You might contact the Journal & Guide and begin to get a little advance publicity, if possible. I will contact you later.

We are hoping to play in Portsmouth on Monday, May 6th. I have written for the Park, but haven't had an answer to date. I will appreciate it if you will follow it up for me and see if we can have the Park, the Gentleman we have contacted through the mail is Mr. Frank D. Lawrence, American National Bank, Portsmouth, Va., he would be the party for you to contact and see if our letter was received.

Yours very truly,

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